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Recommended to the Petersburg Council by the Health Committee.

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Rev. Father O'Farrell to Celebrate His Twenty-fifth Anniversary With Silver Jubilce.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA., Dec. 6.—A
plumbing inspector and a smallpox hospital were recommended to the Council last night by the Health Committee and Board of Health.

Both communications were referred back to the committee, who will prepare an ordinance providing for a plumbing inspector and defining his duties.

The reports of the City Treasurer and Auditor showed that the cash receipts of the city for the past month to have been \$27,731.61; expenditures, \$15,513.37.

The Street Committee was directed to

report on the advisability of requiring the Virginia Passenger and Power Company to lay groove ralls on its street car lines.

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Mr. Carter R. Bishop, in whose honor the new traffic bridge was named thanked the Council for the compliment, and gave some interesting information as to the progress of work on the diversion scheme, stating that the dam would be built under Pocahonias Bridge.

Invitations have been issued for the silver jubilee of the Rev. Father J. T. O'Farrell, rector of Sl. Josoph's Catholic Church, which will be celebrated at the church on December 18th.

The celebration will be held in honor of the twenty-fifth anniversary of Father, O'Farrell's ordination to the priesthood, and arrangements are being made for a beautiful ceremony.

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Mr. R. L. Wittig, physical director of the Young Men's Christian Association at Roanoke, will take the position of \$s\$-sistant secretary and physical director at the etersburg Y. M. C. A. on December 15th.

FARMERS ORGANIZE.

They send Out a Missionary to

They send Out a Missionary to Organize Other Local Unions.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CONCORD, VA., Dec. 6.—As per notice, Mr. H. P. Sherman, of Indiana, one of the national organizers of the American Society of Equity, made a speech of one and a half hours at West Appomattox December 5th to the farmers. He gave a history of the growth the National Union had made in the West in the last two years; how it had enabled the Western planters to get fair prices on wheat, &c.; also how the tobacco growers of Kentucky had by co-operation been enabled to get a price for tobacco that was profitable.

He explained the great mistake farmers made in rushing on the markets.

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Every Item a Daily Necessity At a Big Saving at Our Stores

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Best American Granulated Sugar, 51

por pound. 25c

Sweltzer Cheese, pound. 18c

Sour Pickies, gallon. 20c

Small California Harms, Ib. 9c

Large Irish Potatoes, peck. 15c

Smithfield Harms, pound. 5c

French Candy, pound. 5c

New Virginin Buckwheat, 7 ibs. 25c

New Boncless Codfish, Ib. 6c

Emported Macaroni and Spaghetto, Ib. 6c

Whole Sweet Pickie, quart. 10c

Mountain Butter, 2 ibs for 25c

New, Hominy and Grits, 2 ibs for. 5c

Va. Comb Honey, 2 ibs. 25c

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Sest Carolina Rice, pound. 5c

Lion or Eagle Coffee, pound. 124c

New Rolled Dats, Hawkeye, package. 3c

Canned Tomatoes. 124c

New Navy Beans, quart. 7c

Best City Meal, per pk, 17c, or bush 88c

Best Cream Cheese, 2 pounds for. 25c

Canned Tomatoes, 4 large cans for. 25c

Guart Jars Home Made Sweet Pickies. 10c

Try our Silver King Minneauta Patent

Flour 39c, or barrel. 3c, 15c

Blackberry or Catawba Wine, quart. 12c

Ginger Snaps or Soda Grackers, 1b

Black Enamel Stove Polish, box. 3c

Fresh Bologna Sausage, pound. 7c

Corned or Fresh Hams, pound. 9c

Canned Corn, 4 for. 25c

Duffy's Mail: Whiskey, per bottle. 80c

S. ULLMAN'S SON. In-Street Stores, 1820-1822 East Main Street; Marshall-Street Store, 508 E.

THIRTY THOUSAND FIRE IN CHASE CITY

'Phones at our Two Stores.

The Buggy Department of Chase City Manufacturing Co. Destroyed at Midnight.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHASC CHY, VA., Dec. 6.—The bugby department of the Chas City manufactory burned last night. The fire was
discovered by the night watchman in
the second story of the plant about midnight. The plant is located outside of
the corporation limits. The entire building with a large supply of material and
the blacksmith shops adjacent, were consumed. The origin of the fire is unknown. The buildings were of wood, 200
by 50 feet, two stories high and burned
rapidly and the reflection from the icecovered trees illuminated the whole town.
Loss estimated at \$30,000, insurance
\$14,300. The wagon manufacturing department of the company escaped and
operations continue.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

Splendid Interest Shown in the One at Williamsburg,
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WILLIAMSBURG, VA., Dec. 6.—J

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WILLIAMSBURG, VA., Dec. 6.—A
farmers' institute is being held here under the auspices of the Department of Agriculture, and was opened to-day at 11 so clock, Mr. A. O. Mauck, of the State Board of Agriculture, presiding.

Mayor E. W. Warburten delivered an address of welcome on behalf of the citizens of Williamsburg, and was followed by Mr. J. B. C. Speneer, president of the Business Men's Association.

Professor S. B. Helges, manager State Test Farm, who delivered a very interesting address on the improvement of the soil, and the economic use of fertililizers. At the afternoon session Professor Barbour, of Harrisburg, Pa., gave a very instructive talk on Balanced Rutions, and was followed by Profesor Hughes, whose subject was How to Plant and Care for Fruit Trees.

Mr. Smith read a very interesting paper on Bee Culture, and was followed by Mrs. E. C. Rowley, who read a very instructive paper on Butter Making.

The attendance exceeded the most sanguine expectations, and the exhibits are very creditable.

It is expected that the attendance to-

SEABOARD WINS

Owing to the Slump in Cotton, All Sales Have Stopped.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTISTS

Their Reports Will Show That They Have Largely Increased Their Yearly Appropriations.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 6.—The North
Carolina Supreme Court hands down an
opinion in the case of Spencer vs. L.e.
Seaboard Air Line Railway Company in
which it is held that the consolidation
of the old Raileigh and Gaston into the
greater Scaboard as valid and proper
and that the provision made to assess:
the minority stock was a valid exercise
of eminent domain.

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There was not a single bale of cotton offered on the Raleigh market yesterday, owing to the big slump that has occurred in the prices the last few days. Dealers are advising farmers here to hold their cotton. F. P. Arrendell, of this city, has started a movement by which he hopes to organize the Farmers' Twenty Per Cent, Club, the Commissioners of Agriculture in the several cotton States to be secretaries of the clubs, the purpose being to hold 20 per cent, of the present crop and reduce the crop next year 20 per cent.

Mr. Paul Garrett is out in a card in which he denies that he is specially favoring the granting of a pardon to the noted "gold brick" men from Chicago, who are serving terms in the ponitentiary for attempting to unload a "gold brick" on him a few years ago in Greensboro. The Governor will very probably not take any action regarding the applications for pardon that are being pressed before him now by powerful friends of the prisoners.

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NORTH CAROLINA BAPTISTS.
When the North Carolina Baptist
State Convention convenes in Elizabeth When the North Carolina Baptist State Convention convenes in Elizabeth City to-morrow night, the report of the State boards will show that the Baptists have raised \$111,000 for all purposes against \$97,000 during 1903, a gain of \$14,000. Some of the most notable objects and amounts are \$28,000 for State mlassions against \$26,000 last year; \$18,500 for foreign missions against \$17,000 for the previous year; \$3,600 for home missions against \$7,500 last year; \$27,000 for the Thomasville Orphanage, an increase of \$2,000. There are 126 missionaries in the State and there are reported 2,000 conversions under their ministry. Baptist during the year received about ten thousand accessions to te churches, a net gain of 5,000 in membership. Rev. J. W. Lynch, of Wake Forest, will preach the convention sermon Wednesday night. Rev. R. H. Marsh, D. J., of Oxford, will preside over the convention.

Major Geo. A. Armes, of Washington, D. C., who now ownes the land at Appomattox battle-ground, has deeded to Major H. A. London, for the State of North Carolina, the plats of ground there that the State desires on which to erect memorial tablets, commemorating the heroic part the North Carolina troops took in the battle, notably the fact that North Carolina troops were the last to lay down their arms. The Legislature is to be asked to appoint a commission to receive the deeds and to direct the placing of the memorials.

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The Finance Committee of the State Board of Agriculture was in session to-day making up their report for the past year preparatory for the semi-annual meeting of the board to convene to-morrow. The figures are not given out yet but the receipts have been about \$85,000. The board is now putting up the money for the erection of the Agricultural building at the Agricultural and Mechanical College at a cost of \$50,000.

A certificate of dissolution was filed to-day for the Kornegay-Manly Company of Mt. Airy is charaired with \$25,000 capital authorized and \$6,00 subscribed.

Another charter was to the Walverene Lumber Company, of Noland, capital \$25,000, C. D. Fuller, principal incorporator.

Still another charter was to the Acme Grocery Company, of Smithfield, capital \$10,000; authorized and \$500 subscribed by T. S. Ragsdale and others.

A PAINTER MISSING.

Dr. Orne Discusses Curfew Law With the City Fathers.

With the City Fathers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEWFORT NEWS. VA., Dec. 6.—Mystery surrounds the disappearance of Frank Roberts, a painter who arrived here Saturday with a party of workmen brought here by John Hay, foreman painter at the local shipyard. Saturday night Roberts went out to "see the town." and about midnight he was put to bed in a Washington Avenue Hotel by his friends. Since that time he has not been seen. A handsome gold watch and chain and \$\frac{1}{2}\text{shington Avenue Hotel by his friends.} Since that time he has not been seen. A handsome gold watch and chain and \$\frac{1}{2}\text{shington Avenue Hotel by his friends.} Since that time he has not been seen. A handsome gold watch and chain and \$\frac{1}{2}\text{shington Avenue Hotel by his friends.} Since that time he has he has left with the hotel clerk Saturday night, is still in the safe. No one saw the man leave the room or the hotel, and the management can give no explanation for his absence.

The police authorities have been notified of the case, and a search is being made for the man. He was a young man twenty-seven years of age.

Dr. A. S. Orne, of Now York, who claims to have been the originator of the juvenile court, appeared before to cliv Council to-night to discuss the curfew ordinance, which is being considered by the city fathers. Dr. and Mrs. Orne arrived in the city to-day.

Joseph Hollett, the seaman who fell from the rigging of a commast on the schooner Luchnia Sur. Two broken ribs penetrated the salor's right lung but since yesterray his condition is slightly improved, ag chance for his life.

Arrangements have been completed for the condition is slightly second the properties of the speakers from the Co-completed of the seamers from the Co-completed of the

PHI BETA KAPPA.

Alpha Chapter Holds Annual Meeting and Banquet.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WILLIAMSBURG, VA., Dec. 6.—Alpha
Chapter of the Phi Beta Kuppa Society
cetebrated the 128th anniversary of its
birth here last night in a manner in every
way worthy of the occasion. It has been
the custom of this chapter to hold its
annual celebration in February, but the
abange in date was made in order to
more properly observe Founder's Day,
Which is December 5th.

The exercises opened with prayer by
nee of the new iniliates. Judge R. T.
W. Duke, of Charlottesyllie, occupying
the president's chair, then delivered a
President Lyon G. Tyler, of William and
Mary College, was the orator of the evening. He spoke on "Some Features of
the Past History of William and Mary
College." He discussed the history of the
faculty of the college from its organizahe Times-Dispatch.)

ORANGE, VA., Dec. 6.—Mr. Timothy Smith and Miss Annie Dayls were unlied in marriage this evening at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. A. J. Har-low. "LAXO is a liquid, vegetable comFRANKLIN SOLDIERS

tion in 1893 to the outbreak of the Civil War, beginning with the famous Dr. John Blair and concluding with the hardly less famous President Dewn a plea for the continuance of the ewa of prosperity upon which the college has just entered.

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Judge Duke then called on Attorney-General William A. Anderson, of Lexington, one of the new initiates, Major Anderson expressed his heartfelt interest in the cause of education in general and in the work of William and Mary College in particular.

The members of the society, with their friends among the gentler sex, held the customary banquet in the college library. There were five initiates, as follows: Rev. Robert S. Coupland, of Ascension Church, Baltimore; Attorney-General William A. Anderson, of Lexington; Dr. Ben Johnston, of Richmond; Judge Robert Ould, of Norfolk, and Professor Bruce R. Payne, recently elected to the chair of philosophy and pedagogy in the College of William and Mary.

INDICTED FOR GAMBLING.

Number of Abingdon Young Men on the Tenter Hooks of the Law.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ABINGDON, VA., Dec. 6.—Indictments have been returned against over a score of young men of this section for gambling. Even the most discreet witnesses "rive away" a friend who or young into the most discreet witnesses may sometimes "give away" a friend who prides himself on being a "high roller" and a deft manipulator of the past-boards, when put under a rigid cross-examination by the grand jury, that terror to evildoers.

Circuit Court will probably be in session until Saturday evening, and even by that time the docket will not be cleared, as there are a number of important cases yet to be tried.

Judge Hutton has to open court in an adjoining county Monday, and a number of cases will be continued until the January term. uary term

Totty-Heinemann.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSBURG, VA., Dec. 6.—Miss Idilian Bleanora Heinemann, the attractive daughter of Mr. Henry Heinemann, was married this afternoon to Mr. Richard R. Totty, a well known young chemist of time ceremony took place at the home of the bride's father, on Old Street, and was performed by Rev. John Ridout, of Richmond, formerly rector of Grace Church, Petersburg.

Miss Annie Stella Heinemann, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Mr. Fred Heinemann, brother of the bride, was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Totty left for a tour of the principal Northern cities.

Davis—Sweet.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ETNA MILLS, VA. Dec. 8.—A pretty wedding was colemnized at "Wood Lawn" yesterday afternoon at a colock when Miss Betto Fower Sweet, a daughter of the late Sweet. Became the bride of Mr. Charles Cutter Davis, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Davis. The ceremony was perpinent by Rev. Richard thorry Jones, of the Christian Church.

The pridesmaids were Miss Lona Barber Sweet, Miss Ada Lee Blake, Miss Nannie Ricket, Miss Ada Lee Blake, Miss Nannie Ricket, Miss Ada Lee Blake, Miss Nannie Ricket, and Mr. George Rick, The bride is an attractive brunette.

A wedding dinner was served. This evening d reception was given at the home of the groom's father, The happy couple will make their home at Etna Mills, King William county.

Smith-Davis.

appreciate kindly remembrance?

In Holiday Attire

Nabisco Sugar Wafers present the happiest gift-idea

banquet, luncheon r tea-Nabisco Sugar Wafers have

won land-wide favor as delicious confections, their suc-

cess resulting in the pleasing idea of clothing them in

age of red, while and gild, always beautiful in itself, is

now adorned with hally ribbon, under which you find

a Christmas Laru with which t pay your compliments. Could anything be more appealing to those who most

Originally created to add a touch exquisite to the

For the holiday season, therefore, the original pack-

For the distant friend, the school boy or girl, the

Sunday School class, the teacher, the orphan and all your friends, what prettier token to show that you have

not forgotten them than a gift of Nabisco Sugar Wafers?

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

of the Christmas season.

Christmas form...

The Findings Create Consternation and the Governor Will be Appealed to.

ome consternation in Franklin, Va., today when four young men of prominent families, members of Company I, Seventy-first Regiment, received notices about the result of a recent court-martial in which they were charged with wilful disobedience. Patrick Gay, A. C. Darden, C. L. Parker and L. C. Holland were each fined \$20, given five days in jail and dishonorably discharged. The findings of the court-martial have not yet been passed upon by Governor Montague and the accused will be given ten days in which to prepare a statement.

State Senator William Shands, of Southampton, and other public men will intercede with the Governor in their behalf. The defendants are accused of wilfully disobeying Captain Harrison, who commands Company I, by ignoring his orders to attend drills and otherwise,

CHESTER ENTERPRISE.

New Stores and Dwellings Going Up-Visitors Come and Go.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHESTER, VA., Dec. 6.—Two new stores have opened business here in the past week, and three new dwillings com-

pleted.

Mr. W. C. Trueheart has purchased the property occupied by E. W. Ellison, at the Seaboard Air Line Depot, and used by him for the manufacture of soda way nim for the manufacture of the special Mr.
ginger ale and other drinks, and Mr.
Hilison has purchased another site of Mr.
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Trueheart, nearer the depot, where a will erect a large store and plant for his business.

Miss Lula Gregory, of this place, loft last week for an extended visit to California. Mr. G. E. Robertson left here for a visit to his father, Mr. Broadnax Robertson, of Savannah.

Miss Eunice Spiers, principal of the public school of this place, made a flying visit to see her people in Dinwiddle and Sussex counties Friday evening, and returned Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvie Hatcher, of Richmond, have just returned home, after a short visit to Mr. Hatcher's mother, at this place.

The children of the Methodist Sundayschool are being trained and prepared for a Christmas entertainment by Mr. Walter N, Perdue.

Mrs. O. W. Gargett and her niece, Miss Julia Filzpatrick, are contemplating a visit to New Orleans and Florida about Christmas.

Mrs. J. W. Clay, of Campbell county, has returned to her home, after a good stay. The Bermuda District School Board is contemplating the imprevement of the various schools of the district. The school houses of this district are said to be of better build and plan than the majority of the school houses of the State.

RAILROADED TO PRISON.

Indicted and Sentenced for Postoffice Robbery in an Hour.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

HARRISONBURG, VA., Dec. 6.—Probably the shortest regular term of the United States Court in Harrisonburg was held to-day, with Judge Henry C. Method of Lynchburg, presiding. Richard powell, of Lynchburg, presiding. Richard

using any of our preparations.

Tragle's Quinine Hair Tonic for dandruff and falling hair.....35e

Cut-Rate Drug Stores, 817 East Broad Street,

21 West Broad Street.

Rifles! Rifles! Rifles! STEVEN'S Crack Shot Rifle, \$2.00 FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

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Silver Buckle Silk Suspenders? 50 cents to \$5.00.

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Fine Silk Mufflers? \$1.00 to \$5.00.